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SUBJECT: FCIA CREDIT INSURANCE TO COVER SALE OF CONSTRUCTION
EQUIPMENT TO EDOK S.A. - ETER S.A.

REF: A) STATE 158814: (NOTAL); B) '76 LAGOS 2899

1. EDOK-ETER MANDILAS (NIGERIA) IS CIVIL ENGINEERING CONSTRUCTION COMPANY IN PARTNERSHIP WITH MANDILAS LIMITED, LARGE NIGERIAN TRADING FIRM WITH CLOSE TIES GREECE AND A U.K. PARTNERSHIP WITH ROTHCHILDS. MANDILAS BEST KNOWN AS CARRIER AIR CONDITIONING REPRESENTATIVE FOR NIGERIA. FIRM'S STANDING HERE IS EXCELLENT. REF B IS WTDR.

2. EDOK-ETER MANDILAS REPORTED TO HAVE DOLLARS 83 MILLION CONTRACT FOR 700 KILOMETER IRRIGATION SYSTEM IN LAKE CHAD BASIN DEVELOPMENT SCHEME NORTHEAST NIGERIA. ALSO HAS POWER STATION CONTRACT WORTH ABOUT DOLLARS 8 MILLION. ITS REPUTATION AS CONTRACTOR DIFFICULT TO ASCERTAIN AS EDOK-ETER APPARENTLY RELATIVELY NEW HERE. USUAL SOURCES UNFAMILIAR WITH FIRM AND ITS CHIEF LAGOS OFFICIAL HAS BEEN OUT OF TOWN SEVERAL WEEKS.

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3. WE WILL CONTINUE CHECKING. IF PARENT GREEK FIRM IS AS REPUTABLE AS MANDILAS INSURANCE SHOULD BE GRANTED.
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